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Application No.: 09/905,769

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For: Integrated Transparent Substrate and Diffractive
Optical Element

RESPONSE TO RESTRICTION REQUIREMENT

Commissioner for Patents
Washington, DC 20231

Dear Sir:

This paper is in response to the March 11, 2003 official action.

The examiner has requested that the applicant ~~elect~~ a single species for prosecution.

In response to the election requirement, the applicant elects to prosecute the embodiment provided in Invention I, species 2, i.e., FIG. 8. Claims 1-15 and 17-35 are readable on that species. Claims 1, 29 and 43 are generic.

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Respectfully submitted,

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